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SUBJ: SWEDISH DELEGATION TO THE CIEC MINISTERIAL

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1. SENIOR SWEDISH MFA OFFICIAL LARS KARLSTROM INFORMED THE EMBASSY THAT SWEDISH REPRESENTATION AT THE CIEC MINISTERIAL WOULD DEPEND TO SOME EXTENT ON THE SUBJECT MATTER. FOREIGN MINISTER SODER WOULD HEAD THE DELEGATION ON THE ASSUMPTION OTHER MINISTERS OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS WOULD BE ATTENDING. AT PRESENT, IT IS EXPECTED THAT MINISTER FOR DEVELOPEMENT ASSISTANCE, OLA ULLSTEN, AND MINISTER OF COMMERCE, STEPHAN BURENSTAM LINDER, WILL ACCOMPANY SODER, BUT SUBJECT TO MORE CLARIFICATION AS TO SUBJECT MATTER. OTHER MINISTERS MIGHT ALSO BE INCLUDED. LOWER LEVEL OFFICIALS WOULD INCLUDE AT LEAST STIG BRATTSTROM, HEAD OF THE MULTILATERAL SECTION OF THE FOREIGN TRADE DIVISION OF THE MFA, AND FRANK BELFRAGE, OF ULLSTEN'S MINISTRY.

2. KARLSTROM ANTICIPATES THAT MANY QUESTIONS MAY REMAIN UNANSWERED UP TO THE VERY LAST MINUTE AND IT WILL BE NECESSARY TO HAVE MINISTERS PRESENT AT CIEC WITH NEGOTIATING AND DECISION-TAKING AUTHORITY. (EMBASSY BELIEVES HE MAY ECHO THE WISHES OF THE CO-CHAIRMEN IN THIS REGARD.)

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3. THE SWEDISH ROLE, SAID KARLSTROM, IS RELATIVELY SIMPLE IN THAT SWEDEN CAN ACCEPT A VARITY OF OUTCOMES WITHOUT STRAIN, BUT AS YET UNDEFINED AS TO THE OPERATIONAL ASPECT OF THE CONFERENCE. CAN THE SWEDES BRIDGE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN G-19 AND G-8 ON SOME ITEMS? (EMBASSY RECALLS THAT SWEDISH ROLE BEHIND THE SCENES AT UNCTAD IV IN NAIROBI WAS FREQUENTLY HELPFUL IN THE "BRIDGING" SENSE.)

4. KARLSTROM INQUIRED SOMEWHAT RHETORICALLY HOW THE SUBJECT OF ENERGY MIGHT EVENTUALLY BE DISPOSED OF. SWEDEN IS KEENLY INTERESTED IN INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION IN ENERGY SUPPLY AND USAGE; WHERE WILL THE NECESSARY OVERALL COORDINATION FINALLY BE LODGED? IEA, UN, IAEA?

5. EMBASSY COUNSELOR TOLD KARLSTROM WE WOULD BE INTERESTED IN KNOWING OF ANY NON-CIEC SUBJECTS WHICH HIS GOVERMENT MIGHT RAISE.
SMITH

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